





### CALIPSO Mission Status Update

Payload Status

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#### Wide Field Camera

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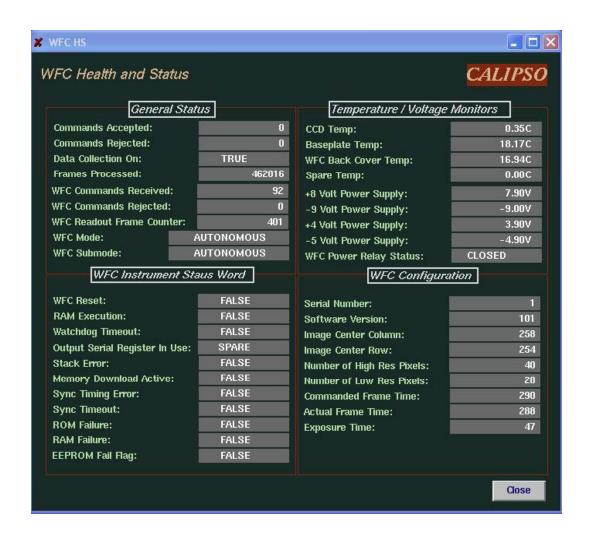


#### WFC Overview





- No FDIR Events
- All Temperatures and Voltages are Nominal
- No Adjustments required

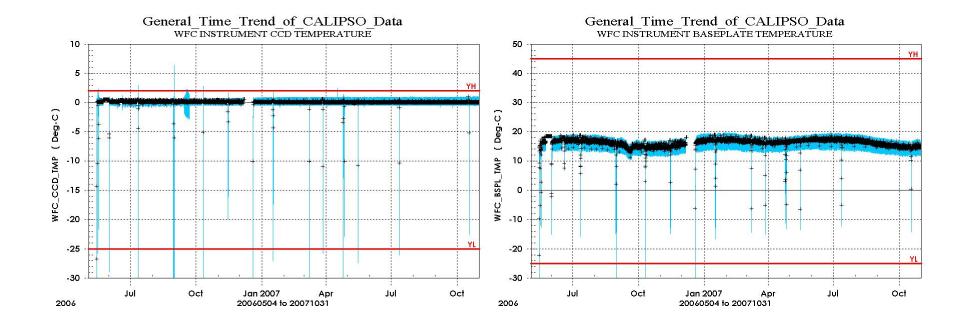




# WFC Temperatures





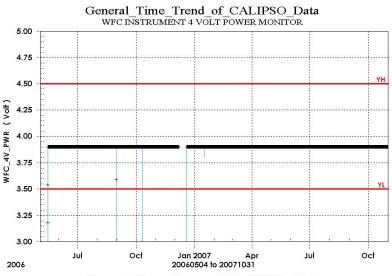


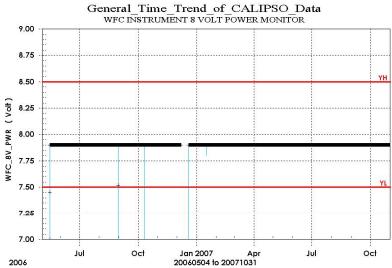


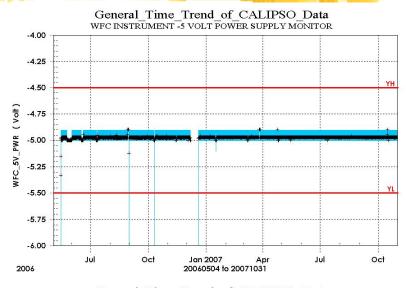
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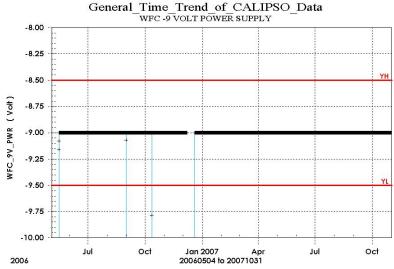


















# Imaging Infrared Radiometer

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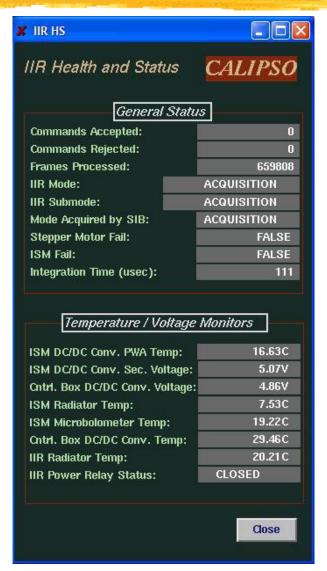


#### IIR Health





- Power Consumption Nominal
- No Adjustment required since CTA set point update
- No FDIR Events

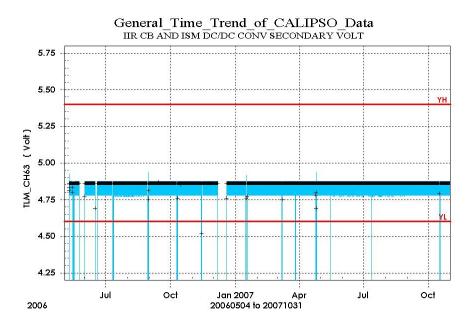


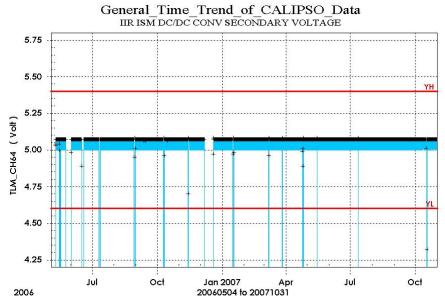


# IIR Voltages















# Payload Controller

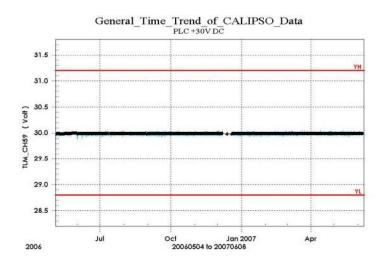
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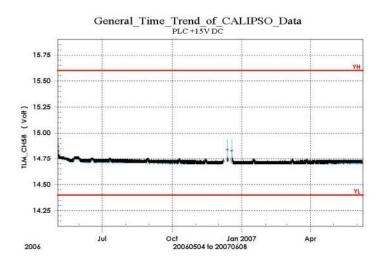


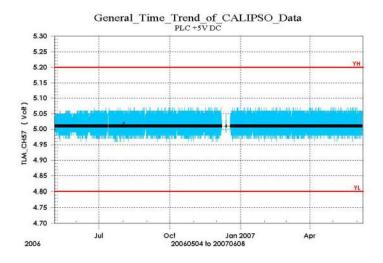
# PLC Voltages











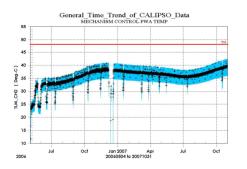


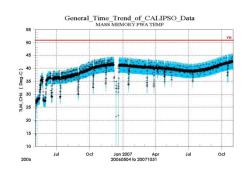
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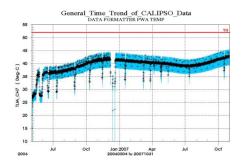


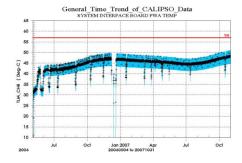


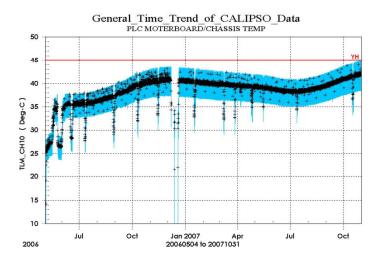
- Temperatures are nominal
  - > Excluding the LVPS

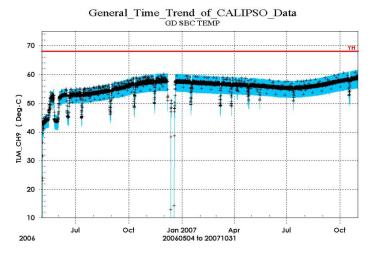












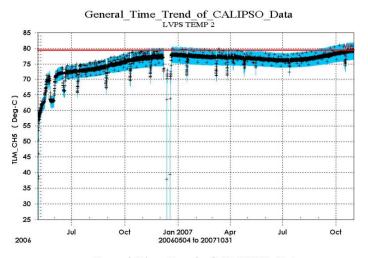


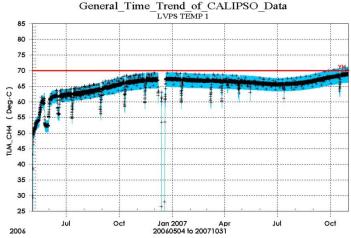
# Low Voltage Power Supply (LVPS) (CALOPS0025N)





- LVPS TLM\_CH5 Approaching Red FDIR Limit during High Beta Angles
- ☐ Flight Red Limit increased by 2°C.
- Mission Request to Increase PLC CTA during Solar Flares
  - > Implemented
- Mission Request to Increase PLC CTA Temperature during Operations in Review
  - Same philosophy as CTA heater setting for the active laser during operations





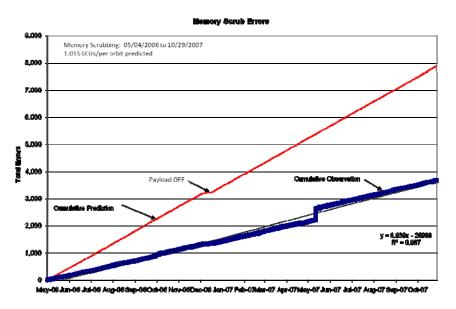


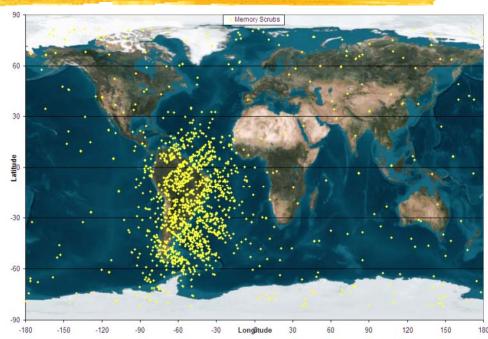
#### PLC Radiation Effects





- PLC operating nominally in the on-orbit radiation environment
- Memory scrub errors & CPU Miscompares are well under predictions





One Event in the SAA caused
 436 Memory Scrubbing Errors

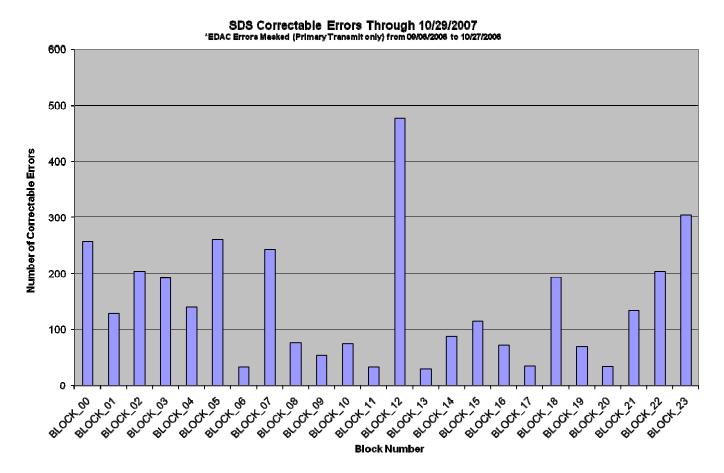


# SDS Status (CALOPS0020N)





- All transmits since the interrupt patch have been nominal
- All Blocks are still uncorrectable error free and active









#### CALIOP LIDAR

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### Agenda





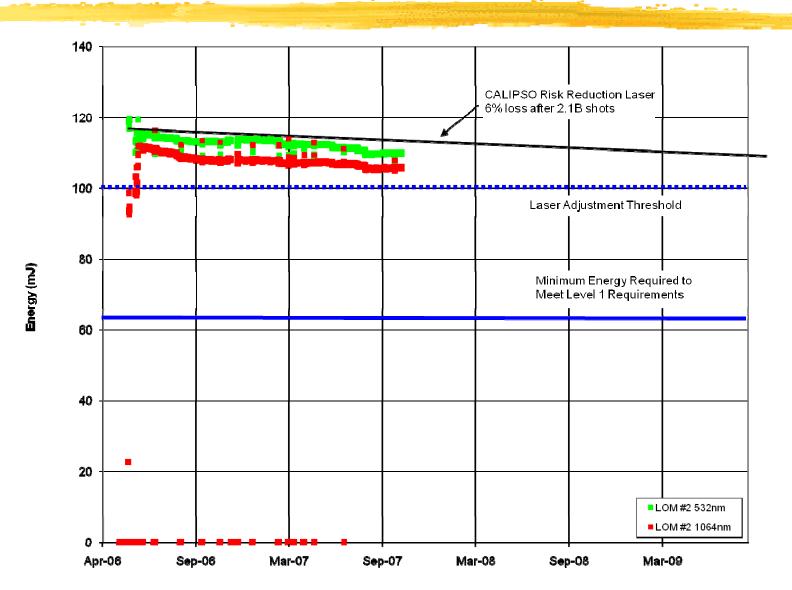
- Review Overall Laser Performance
  - Total Energy
  - > Energy Balance Trends
  - > Thermal Stability
  - > Laser Pressure
  - > Boresight Trend
- LIDAR Detector Performance
  - > Signal Noise
  - > Bits Trend
  - > Calibrations
- Laser Energy Spikes Investigation Status
  - > Discussion of behavior
  - Current Status



# Laser Energy Trends







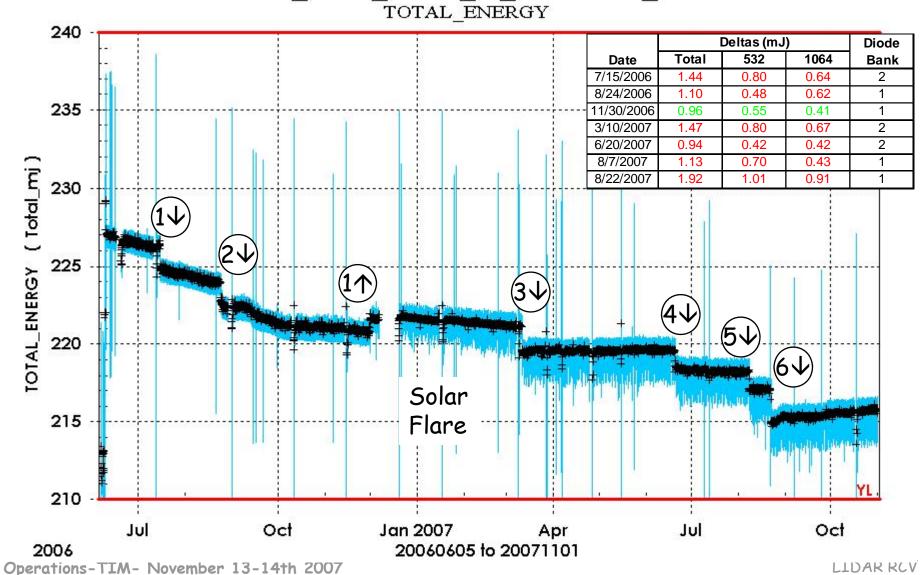


# Laser Energy Zoom





#### Lom2 Time Trend of CALIPSO Data





## Laser Management Approach





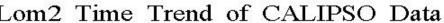
- Quarterly Laser Team Meetings (last meeting September, 2007)
  - Members are experts from NASA, Fibertek and Ball
  - Meeting Results
    - ✓ Laser continues to operate very well
    - ✓ No need to make any adjustments
- Daily Laser Monitoring
  - Output power and thermal parameters
- Weekly Trending of Laser Parameters
  - Laser Pressure
  - Output Power
  - Laser Heater Duty Cycle Trends

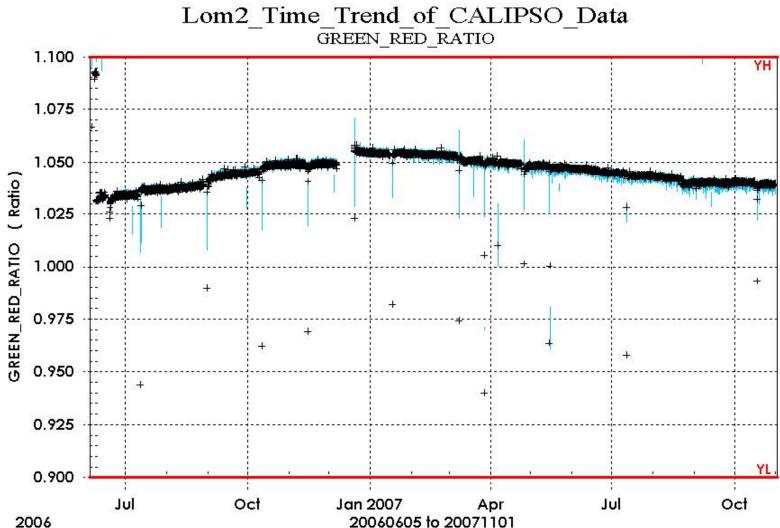


#### Green / Red Ratio







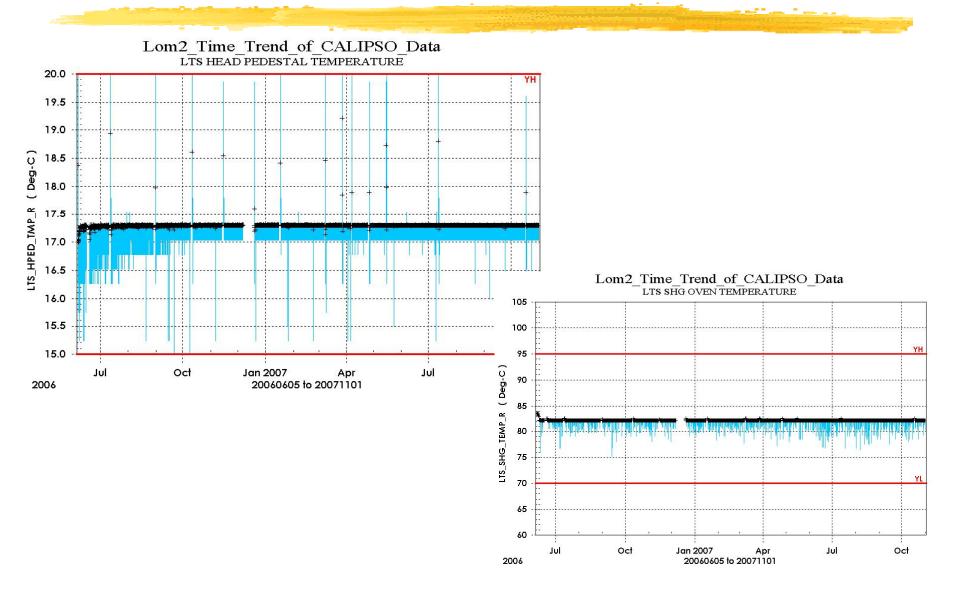




### Pedestal @ SHG Temperature Trends







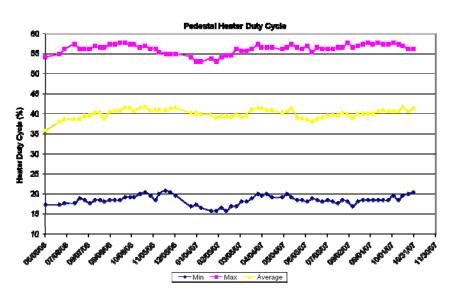


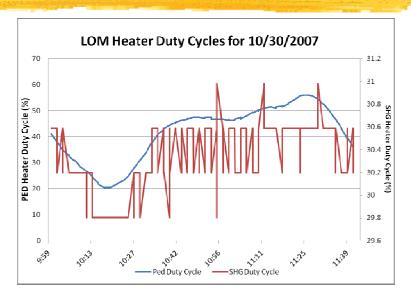
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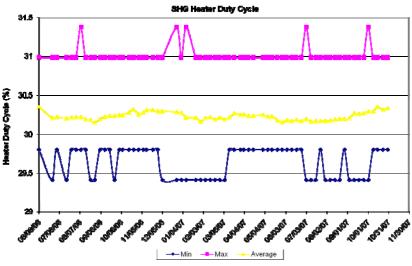




- Data acquired over an entire orbit
  - Conducted Weekly





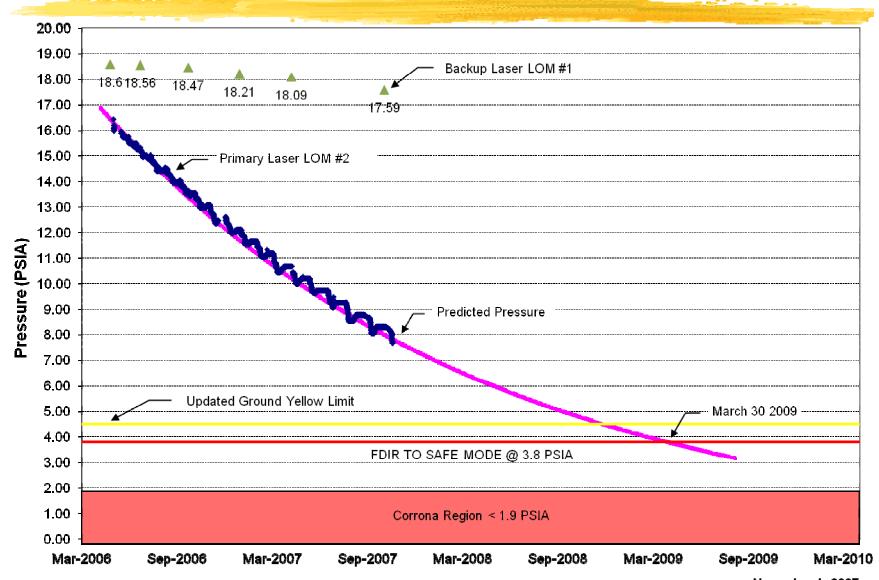




#### LOM Pressure Trends









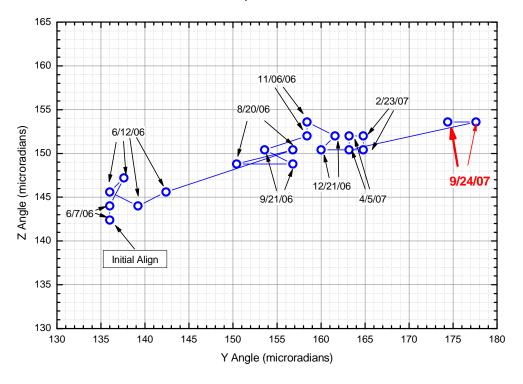
# Boresight Trend





- Long Term stability looks good
  - latest alignment shows a slight reversal of the previous trend in aligned positions
- September 24, 2007 Aligns
  - Completed in 2 and 1 iterations
  - Net angular movement of 11.7 microradians
- Investigating Calibration constant stability over an orbit

CALIPSO Lidar
History of Positions After Boresight Aligns
Updated 9-24-07





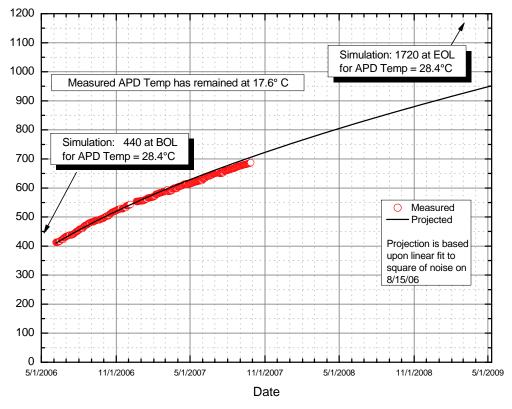
#### 1064 Dark Noise Trend





- Trend data is falling slightly below the original trend line.
- Detector is heater controlled to a set point of 17°C
  - No Temperature variations

#### CALIPSO 1064 Channel Noise Trend Projected Over Three Year Mission Starting 4/28/06



Updated 9/28/07

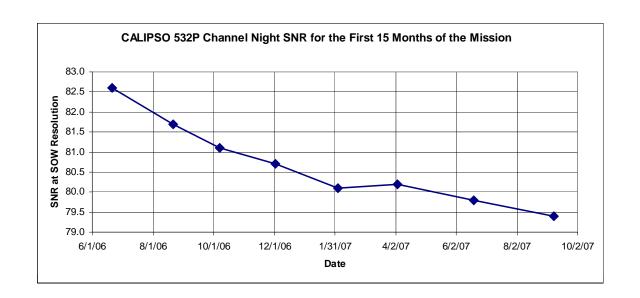


#### 532 SNR Trend





- SNR remains well over 50%
- Total Drop of 4%
  - Only 2% after normalizing for Laser Energy Drop

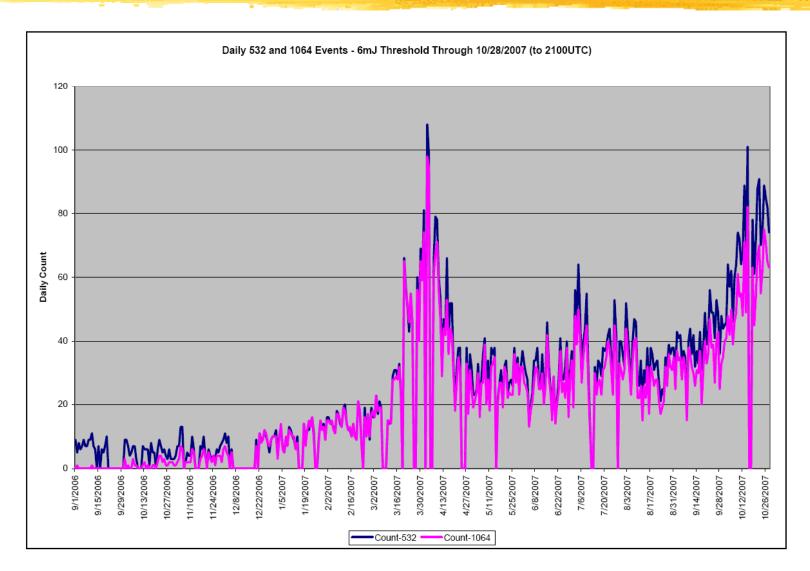




# Spike Trends









## LIDAR Highlights





- □ CALIOP subsystems have operated for 1.5 year with no adjustments after the initial setup.
  - > Laser (Energy loss is expected and understood)
    - ✓ Spikes do not represent a laser health risk
  - > Amplifier gains and offsets
  - Detector gains
  - Etalon temperature
- Signal to Noise Ratio is Higher then Expected
- Depolarization performance exceeds requirements
  - > < 1% cross-talk
- HST screening conducted MWF
  - Laser operations have been inhibited 11 times



#### Backup Laser Status





- Laser 2 continues to be the primary Laser
  - The laser will be operated until the internal pressure reaches 3.8 PSIA (Double the Corona pressure)
- Laser 1 Health checks
  - Conducted 6 times to date with nominal results
    - ✓ Next check planned in April '08
    - ✓ Laser powered and placed in standby mode
      - High Voltage applied, but no Diode pumping



#### Future Plans





- Predictions show that Laser 2 will need to be turned off in the Spring of 2009
  - > Transition to laser 1 will require 2 weeks of activity
    - ✓ Thermally Balancing
    - ✓ Energy Balancing
    - ✓ Lidar Tuning
- Detailed planning will begin in Fall of 2008 (REVEX)
  - Schedule of laser activation will need to account for
    - ✓ Team workload and holidays
    - ✓ A-train inclination maneuver execution
    - ✓ Validation campaigns
    - Technical needs to optimize laser life



#### Conclusion





# CALIPSO Payload performance continues to be outstanding